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FOR: Signaling Aptamers that  
Transduce Molecular Recognition  
to a Differential Signal

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

Dear Sir:

In response to a Final Office Action, mailed March 30, 2004, for the above-referenced patent application, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks. Reconsideration of the pending claims is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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